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In re Application of: **Brian P. DWYER et al.**

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ELECTROPHORETICALLY MOBILE
PEPTIDIC SUBSTRATES FOR ENZYMATIC
REACTIONS AND METHODS FOR THEIR
USE IN HIGH-THROUGHPUT SCREENING
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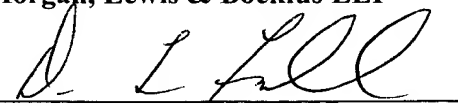
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TRANSMITTAL FORM

1. Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in response to the Office Action dated June 4, 2004.
2. Extension of Time: The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) apply. Applicants petition for two-months extension of time, the fee for which is \$430.00 as set out in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a). If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor.
3. Fee Payment: The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge **\$430.00** to Deposit Account No. 50-0310 for payment of the two-months extension of time fee.
4. Constructive Petition: **Except** for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **constructive petition for extension of time** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)(3).

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